

The Director of Central Intelligence

Washington, D.C. 20505

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Dear Jake,

I'm leaving on a foreign trip which will keep me away all of next week. Because we have to further sensitize the public on how the Soviets have increased the power and sophistication of their weaponry on the basis of our technology and R&D to a far greater extent than we ever dreamed, I have had our findings on this sanitized. A copy is enclosed. When I return you will get a further response to your letter.

Yours,

Bill
William J. Casey

Enclosure

The Honorable Jake Garn
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

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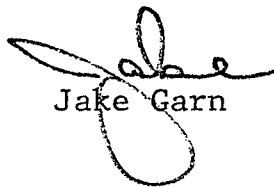
Dear Bill,

As you know I have been concerned with the flow of U.S. technology to the Soviets for a long time. Thanks to your efforts we are just now beginning to be able to document the harm. I intend to do whatever I can to stop it.

One area I have a particular concern about is Soviet ICBM accuracy. Their qualitative improvements have forced us into yet another round of very expensive weapon developments. I'm convinced that past policies on exports and counterintelligence have resulted in a hemorrhage of critical technology.

I understand that your staff is now in the process of a comprehensive assessment of the U.S. contribution -- through technology transfer -- to Soviet ICBM improvements. I think that such a report could drive home the points we have both been trying to make, and stimulate the Congress and the Executive Branch to act. The Banking Committee, Government Affairs Committee and the Intelligence Committee will be looking at one aspect or another of this problem over the next few months. Anything you can do to accelerate the assessment of this case will be very helpful. If it can be available within the next few months, it will have the greatest utility.

Sincerely,


Jake Garn

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